

## CHARITY BALL

A Dinner Dance at The Campion School in aid of Teenage Cancer Trust, Motor Neurone Disease Association, CRY and UK Sepsis Trust will be held on Saturday 2 March in the Main Hall. 6.30 pm for Bucks Fizz Reception. DJ and Entertainment throughout the evening. 3 Course Dinner. Tickets £35. Dress Code: Black Tie or Lounge Suit. Bar Closes at 11.30 pm. Carriages at midnight please! Tickets can be ordered by contacting [ptucker@thecampionschool.org](mailto:ptucker@thecampionschool.org)

## THE LIGHT AT THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY

Our thanks to all who have contributed to the maintenance of the lamp that burns before the image of Our Lady of Lourdes; it has proved so popular that there are very few weeks left this year. The weeks that are available are as follows: 16 June, 23 June, 14 July, 1 Sept, 22 Sept, 20 Oct, 27 Oct, 24 Nov, 1 Dec, 8 Dec, 15 Dec, 22 Dec and 29 December. If you would like one of these weeks, it would probably be best to book it sooner rather than later.

## *Please remember in your prayers*

### **Those who are ill, including . . .**

Neil Abrahams, Isabella Ayres, Gary Beale, Rita Blake, Mary Brennan, Lesley Carroll, Tom Coddington, Pat and Janet Defreitas, Brenda Duke, Compton Glasgow, Enid Ince, Father Tom Jordan, Gary Martindill, Maureen Mongan, Helen Murray, Sue Read, Terry Rice, Stephen Smithers, Sue Spelling and Mary Treston.

### **Those who have died recently, including . . .**

**Elizabeth Saunders** – Olivia Paton's mother, who died on Friday.

### **Those whose anniversaries are recalled at this time, including . . .**

**26 Jan – 1 Feb:** John Brennan, Claire Twomey, Allison Hughes, Terry Brown, Rose Byott, Father Joseph Burns (*second parish priest of Corpus Christi*), Patrick Sheehan, John Mongan and Teresa Ennis.

## SHRINE OF OUR LADY

*This week, the lamp burning in honour of Our Lady is in memory of John Dolby.*

## MINISTRY ROTA

**26-27 Jan:** Group 7  
**2-3 Feb:** Group 8  
**9-10 Feb:** Group 9  
**16-17 Feb:** Group 10

## CHECKING ROTA

**27 Jan:** Peter Whipps  
**3 Feb:** Linda Withers, Eddie Walker, Sophie Pritchard  
**10 Feb:** Margarets Conway & Smith  
**17 Feb:** to be arranged

## MASS INTENTIONS

### THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 26 Jan : 6.30 pm Joanna Dancer RIP (Butcher)  
Sunday 27 Jan : 9.00 am Maureen Allison RIP (Jackson)  
11.30 am Members of Our Parish Community  
Monday 28 Jan : 9.00 am Elise and James Gunn int (Lennon)  
Tuesday 29 Jan : 9.00 am *Communion Service*  
Wednesday 30 Jan : 9.00 am Noel and Sharon Whalton int (Daly)  
Thursday 31 Jan : 9.00 am Dominic & Majella Daly int (Bernadette)  
Friday 1 Feb : 9.00 am Teresa Ennis RIP (Hurley)

### FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 2 Feb : 6.30 pm Margaret Roche int (Butcher)  
Sunday 3 Feb : 9.00 am Justina Ilochi int  
11.30 am Members of Our Parish Community

# Catholic Church of Corpus Christi

Lowshoe Lane, Collier Row, Romford, Essex RM5 2AP

## Parish Priest:

Father Philip Denton

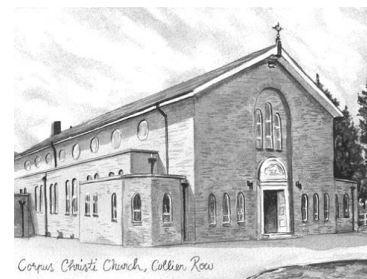
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## to contact Church House:

# Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

26-27 January 2019



*Corpus Christi Church, Collier Row*

## PARISH WEBSITE

[www.corpuschristicollierrow.org](http://www.corpuschristicollierrow.org)

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday : 9.00 am – 12.00 noon

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday : 6.30 pm, Sunday : 9.00 am and 11.30 am

## MASS DURING THE WEEK

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday : 9.00 am

## COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday : 9.00 am

## MORNING PRAYER

Tuesday : 8.45 am

## NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Friday : 7.30 pm

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday : 5.30 – 6.30 pm

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday : 6.00-6.30 pm

or any other time on request

*The church is usually open daily until 5.00 pm*

*The newsletter is also available on the parish website*

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

This weekend we welcome Poppy Livesey into God's family, the Church and we pray for her and her family – that they may grow in the knowledge and love of God within our community of faith.

## CRIB DONATIONS - Brentwood Catholic Children's Society

Restoring an old custom, in this country and many others, our Crib will remain in its place until Candlemas (2 February). Our offerings at the Crib go to support the work of the Brentwood Catholic Children's Society; so there will be several more weeks for us to support this worthy cause. There is a basket at the front of the church, near the crib.

## PARISH OFFERINGS

Last weekend the Parish Offerings amounted to £976.11 (£461.80 of this was gift-aided). The collection for Pax Christi came to £101.70. As always, we thank you for your generous and continued giving.

## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION – a message for young people in Year 11 or above.

The next celebration of this Sacrament for young adults will take place on Sunday 7 July, when Bishop Alan will be visiting the parish. The preparation programme begins in February and will involve a meeting each month and a weekend retreat at the new Walsingham House @ Abbotswick (Friday 22 – Sunday 24 March). If you are interested in being Confirmed this year, you need to take the following action:

- Speak with John after Mass to collect information about the preparation programme and an application form.
- Read the information and, if you wish to enrol on the programme, telephone Church House to book an appointment with Father Philip for him to meet with you and one (or both) of your parents. You will need to bring the completed application form with you.

**The closing date** for all applications (and appointments with Father Philip) is **Thursday 31 January**.